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— 30 Days of Worship —

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READ

Psalm 89

⁵ *Let the heavens praise your wonders, O Lord, your faithfulness in the assembly of the holy ones!*

⁶ *For who in the skies can be compared to the Lord? Who among the heavenly beings is like the Lord,*

⁷ *a God greatly to be feared in the council of the holy ones, and awesome above all who are around him?*

⁸ *O Lord God of hosts, who is mighty as you are, O Lord, with your faithfulness all around you?*

⁹ *You rule the raging of the sea; when its waves rise, you still them.*

¹¹ *The heavens are yours; the earth also is yours; the world and all that is in it, you have founded them.*

¹² *The north and the south, you have created them;*

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Tabor and Hermon joyously praise your name.

¹³ *You have a mighty arm; strong is your hand, high your right hand.*

¹⁴ *Righteousness and justice are the foundation of your throne; steadfast love and faithfulness go before you.*

¹⁵ *Blessed are the people who know the festal shout, who walk, O Lord, in the light of your face,*

¹⁶ *who exult in your name all the day and in your righteousness are exalted.*

¹⁷ *For you are the glory of their strength; by your favor our horn is exalted.*

REFLECT

The heavens often evoke a sense of awe in us.

When is the last time you stepped out and took in the wonder of the

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night sky, filled with stars and the Milky Way? Often, if we are not careful, we can begin to worship the created things, rather than the Creator himself.

Do you ever look to a person's astrological sign to help you understand their reactions or responses to situations in life? This would be an indication that you have begun to mix your worship of the One true God with the worship of his created heavenly beings.

But God is greater than all the heavenly council. He reigns over the starry host, over the earth and the seas and everything in them.

RESPOND

Read back through this Psalm and declare, out loud, the truths about God's character and might.

Praise his name as you acknowledge his strength and

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power, and confess any idol worship in this area that the Spirit reveals.

For a deeper understanding of the “council of the holy ones,” or the Divine Council, take a few minutes to watch this video by The Bible Project.

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